



*Being The First ISO Certified IT Services Provider In Qatar*

## **MEEZA Recognized As The Region's “Leader In IT” At Arab Achievements Awards**

**Doha, Qatar – 20 May 2012** – MEEZA, the leading IT services and solutions provider in Qatar, has been recognized as the “Leader in IT” in the Arab World, during the prestigious Arab Achievements Awards. The ceremony took place during the renowned Arab Investment Summit, which was held in Abu Dhabi last week.

MEEZA has won the award after being the first IT services and solutions provider in Qatar to be awarded with the ISO 27001:2005 and ISO 9001:2008 certificates. The certifications are awarded by the Bureau Veritas Certification and are accredited by the United Kingdom Accreditation Service (UKAS).

MEEZA continues to receive awards and recognitions for the services provided to its clients on a regional level. In November 2011, the company has been honored with the Best Cloud Services Award 2011 at the third Data Centres Middle East conference in Dubai. MEEZA was recognised by the Data Centre Strategies forum for their outstanding contribution to the Development of Cloud Services across the region.

Commenting on the new award, Jean-Philippe Sohier – Chief Marketing Officer, MEEZA, said: “The prestigious Arab Achievements Awards has become the premier awards ceremony across the entire region. The event recognizes industry leaders and organizations that have excelled over the past year. MEEZA understands the importance of this award as it positions us on the top of

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the IT scene in the region. This award will add to our responsibilities as we are keen on maintaining our position as the leader of IT services and solutions in Qatar and the Middle East.” MEEZA was established to provide essential IT support to Qatar’s development process in close alignment with Qatar National Vision 2030, and has become Qatar’s leading IT solutions and services provider.

To become certified for ISO 9001:2008 and ISO 27001:2005 standards, MEEZA underwent an evaluation process by Bureau Veritas Certification of the Quality Management Systems for the scope of: “Solution Design and Provision of Services for Data Centre, Managed Services, Cloud and Work Place.” Its Information Security Management Systems underwent a separate evaluation process for the scope of: “Management of Information Security for Data Centre Comprising of Rack Space, Power, Cooling, Physical Security, Connectivity and Related Monitoring.”

ISO (International Organisation for Standardization) is the world's largest developer and publisher of International Standards for activities such as information technology, construction, mechanical engineering and agriculture.

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#### **About MEEZA:**

MEEZA, a Qatar Foundation joint venture, is a managed IT Services and Solutions provider offering a wide range of services to clients, from creating and managing IT infrastructure to providing technology consulting. MEEZA has moved quickly to establish itself as the leader in the local IT industry, with the objective of helping to accelerate the growth of Qatar through the provision of world class Managed IT Services and Solutions.

MEEZA has a solid track record, not only in the delivery of solutions to our clients, but also in the provisioning of a full end-to-end service which covers the entire life-cycle of deployed assets, from design through delivery to on-going support.

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MEEZA has the ability to deliver scalable, reliable and robust managed services solutions, which add real measured value. We deliver a service which leverages business benefit through IT, with reduced total cost of ownership (TCO) and increased Return on Investment (ROI). We achieve this not only through the skill and expertise of our staff, but also through the trusted, long-term relationships and accreditations we have with our technology partners.

To find out more, visit: [www.meeza.net](http://www.meeza.net)

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